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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed May 16, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.

A One-month Extension of Time and fee accompanies this Amendment After Final Rejection.